QUESTIONS FOR ANSWERS ON THE DAY
(but not taken up)

MEASURES TAKEN TO SUPPLY RAW MATERIALS AND ELECTRICITY TO SEVERAL FACTORIES IN HUBLI INDUSTRIAL ESTATE.

*Q.—141. SRI VEERABHADRAPPA ERAPPA (Yelburga).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether it has come to their notice that some factories in the Hubli Industrial Estate are likely to be closed down as raw materials and electricity are not being supplied to them properly;

(*b*) the measures they have taken to supply the same ?

*A.—SRI K. MALLAPPA (Minister for Industries and Commerce).—

(*a*) No.

(*b*) The Government of India has been moved for enhancing the quotas of raw materials. The State Electricity Board has been moved for the allotment of additional quota of power required.

COLLECTION OF LOCAL FUND CESS IN HUBLI TALUK UNDER MYSORE VILLAGE PANCHAYATS AND LOCAL BOARDS ACT, 1959.

*Q.—250. SRI M. R. PATIL (Hubli).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) the maximum rate of levy of local cess permissible under the Mysore Village Panchayats and Local Boards Act, 1959;

(*b*) whether it is a fact that in Hubli Taluk of Dharwar District Government have recovered local fund cess at a rate of 19 nP. instead of 12 nP. on every rupee, after the Mysore Village Panchayats and Local Boards Act, 1959, came into force;

(*c*) the total amount of local fund cess collected in Hubli Taluk at the rate of 19 nP. during the years 1960, 1961, 1962 year-wise;

(d) what steps Government have taken to refund the excess collection to the persons from whom it has been collected;

(*e*) in what other areas of the State has the cess under the said Act been recovered at more than 12 nP. ?

*A.—SRI RAMAKRISHNA HEGDE (Minister for Co-operation and Development).—

(*a*) Twelve nP. per rupee on all the items of land revenue.

(*b*) No. The cess of 19 nP. collected comprises 12 nP. local cess under the said Act and the 7 nP. Education Cess under the Bombay Primary Education Act, 1947 as amended by the Mysore Village Panchayats and Local Boards Act, 1959 in Section 243 (2).

(*c*)

Year	*Amount of composite cess* Rs.	nP.
1-6-1959 to 31-7-1960	64,630	19
1-8-1960 to 31-7-1961	64,630	19
1-8-1961 to 31-7-1962	65,833	28